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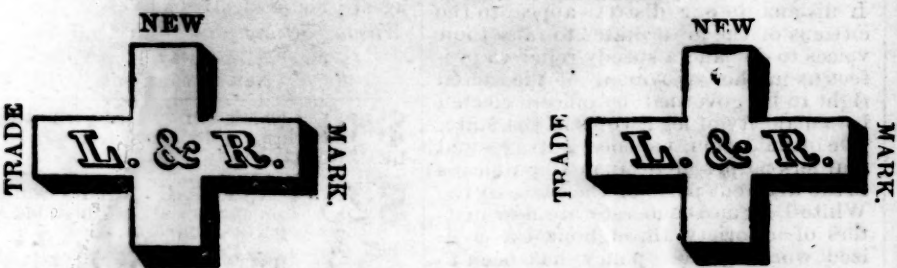
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RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA, SUNDAY MORNING, MARCH 18, 1877.

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## THE CITY.

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THE WEEKLY NEWS HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NORTH CAROLINA, AND IS THE MOST VALUABLE MEDIUM OF ADVERTISEMENT FOR A STRICTLY "WARMER TRADE."

THE RALEIGH NEWS IS THE OLDEST DAILY PAPER IN RALEIGH, AND HAS THE LARGEST DAILY CIRCULATION IN NORTH CAROLINA.

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CHURCH DIRECTORY.

SALISBURY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH. - Services at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M. by the pastor, Rev. T. H. Pritchard, D. D. Sunday school at 9 A. M.

SWAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH. - Services at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M. by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Huffman. Sunday school at 9 A. M.

KENTON STREET M. E. CHURCH. - Services at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M. by the pastor, Rev. L. S. Burkhead, D. D. Sunday school at 9 A. M.

PERSON STREET M. E. CHURCH. - Services at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M. by the pastor, Rev. W. C. Norman. Sunday school at 9 A. M.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. - Services at 11 A. M. by the pastor, Rev. C. R. Vaughan, D. D. Sunday school at 9½ A. M.

CHRIST CHURCH. - Services at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. M. M. Marshall, D. D. The public, as always, and to all services, cordially invited. The usual services at 5 P. M. and during each week in Lent, in the Chapel, as follows: Mondays at 7:30 A. M.; evenings at 5 P. M. Tuesdays at 7:30 A. M.; evenings at 5 P. M. Wednesdays at 7:30 A. M.; Litany at 12 M. Thursdays at 7:30 A. M.; evenings at 5 P. M. Fridays at 7:30 A. M.; Litany at 12 M. Saturdays at 7:30 A. M.; evenings at 5 P. M. Sunday school every Sunday in the Chapel at 9 A. M.

No Mass in St. John's (Catholic) Church this morning owing to the absence of Rev. Father Reilly.

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. - Hillsboro Street. Rev. E. R. Rich, pastor. Lenten service - Sundays 11 A. M., 7:30 P. M. Week days, Monday, Wednesday and Friday 10 A. M. Daily (except Monday) at 5 P. M. Holy Communion, 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays at 11 A. M., and on the 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays at 7:30 A. M. Seats all free and every one heartily welcomed.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Fifth Sunday in Lent. —Day's length, 12 hours and 5 minutes.

—Regular communication of Hiram Lodge, A. F. & A. M., at Masonic Hall, in the Fisher building, to-morrow night.

—A letter addressed to A. W. Haywood, Raleigh, remains in the post office at Wilmington for lack of postage.

—"Come in out of the wet!" —an invitation which could have been extended, yesterday, with some degree of appropriateness.

The *Nat. Shell* says that Mr. H. Cohen, of Raleigh, will open a first-class dry goods, fancy goods and clothing store in Newbern in a few days.

—There will be services to-day for all the congregations except the Catholic. Father Reilly is absent from the city.

—The board of county examiners yesterday examined and awarded to Mr. R. A. Bialock a certificate of qualification to teach a public school of the first grade.

—"Spirits" flowed yesterday like the rain from heaven, and many a heavily-laden imbibist had to "sand the track" as he hauled his groceries over the somewhat slippery pavements.

—There was no general observance here of St. Patrick's Day, and all there was to distinguish the day from other days, was the number of Catholics who appeared on the streets and elsewhere, "a-wearing of the green."

—One of the largest free schools in the county is that of Lewis A. Johnston, at Forestville. A four months term ended Friday with an enrollment of 108 pupils and an average attendance of 98.

—In our mention, yesterday, of the counsel retained to represent J. N. Bunting, Esq., in his suit against Mr. W. R. Gales, clerk elect of the criminal court of Wake, the name of George H. Snow, Esq., was unintentionally omitted.

—His Excellency the Governor yesterday issued his commissions to Weston R. Gales, as clerk of the criminal court of Wake, and to M. J. Merchant, of New York City, as a commissioner of affidavits for the State of North Carolina.

—We are requested to give the correction to the report, in yesterday's News, that J. A. McDonald, Esq., was an applicant for the postmastership at Raleigh. We did not profess to "speak by the book, but only gave expression to a sentiment very generally entertained in the community. Mr. McDonald denies that he has ever had any aspirations in the direction indicated.

North Carolina Hams, 15 cents a lb. Seed Irish Potatoes 50 cents a peck. Dried Peaches and Apples and Peas, Pickles, Coffee, Sugar, 11 cents a lb. White Sugar 12 cents a lb., good Rio Coffee 25 cents a lb., fresh Butter 25 cents a lb., Cream Cheese 20 cents a lb., at Woolcott's Open Front Store.

Howe Machine for Sale. A brand new Howe Machine, unused and just from factory, for sale low at the News office.

## An Irishman Hung in Effigy.

Yesterday morning about daybreak, when Mr. Sidney Bryan, the county jailer, arose, he discovered an effigy hanging in one of the trees between the court house and the old building lately occupied as the *Sentinel* printing office. He very wisely cut it down and carried it in the court house where it would not be exposed to the public gaze. It was made of hay, and was dressed in second hand coat, pants and vest. A beaver was set upon its head, a string of Irish potatoes was around its neck, and a bottle of whiskey was found in the breast-pocket of the coat. There were various things in the get-up of the effigy to indicate that it was intended to represent an Irishman, and many suggested, with good show of reason, that it was particularly designed to symbolize St. Patrick. The supposition becomes all the more reasonable when it is remembered that yesterday was the anniversary of that saint. Early in the morning, before many had seen it, the effigy was entirely destroyed.

No sensible man would have been guilty of this folly and meanness — an act the direct tendency of which was to mortify and insult a large and worthy class of the community. It can only be attributed, in reason, to some thoughtless boy or boys, or to some equally foolish and unreckoning man. Such slurs as this, unintentional or designed, upon a foreign element of the community and the native Catholic element as well, can be productive of no sort of good, and may occasion jealousies and heart-burnings. We hope that our Irish and Catholic friends will pass this incident over with the lofty contempt which it so eminently deserves. The better portion of the community has no sympathy with such unjust and ungenerous methods of gratifying an ill-will, if, indeed, any such purpose as this was entertained, and we trust that those who would likely be most affected by this occurrence will realize this fact.

## Doors Down Low.

Many persons passing by the hardware house of Julius Lewis & Co., in the last day or two, have been attracted by the immense pile of four-panel doors there exhibited. We were moved, yesterday morning, to ask our friend Nick West for an explanation of the display, and what he was going to do with them, and received the reply that those in view were one single car load of doors, 500 in number, direct, all rail, from Cincinnati. The smaller sizes of these four-panel doors are sold at the ridiculously low price of \$1.50, after coming by rail over 2,000 miles, which suggests that doors, ready-made, must grow on trees out West.

## The Government Building.

There is very little prospect of the completion of this building. True, the work is progressing, but so very slowly as to be almost imperceptible. The roof has been framed, and the floor is now being arched. Thirty workmen only are employed on the building. It is necessary that the work be kept going all the time, and a larger force than this cannot be employed lest the appropriation be exhausted and operations have to suspend entirely. At the rate at which the building is now progressing it will require two years yet to complete it.

## Alarm of Fire.

The fire alarm was sounded last evening about 8:30 o'clock, and the firemen and all the balance of the community turned out with haste. After an infinite amount of yelling and splashing through the mud, it was discovered that the alarm was caused by the burning out of a chimney in the residence of A. C. Saunders, Esq. No harm resulted.

## Mayor's Court.

Only one case appeared yesterday on the docket of this tribunal. Phil. Lane, colored, an ex-penitentiary convict, was up for threatening to take the life of Mr. Burns, who is an employee at the penitentiary. The Mayor held him in a bond for five hundred dollars for his appearance at the next term of the Superior Court, and failing to give this he was committed to jail.

## Personal.

R. C. Badger, Esq., Col. I. J. Young and John A. McDonald, Esq., returned last evening from Washington City, where they have been since the inauguration.

Alonso T. Jenkins, Esq., a prominent Mason of the State, having once been Master of the Grand Lodge, is in the city, the guest of Dr. Wm. G. Hill.

## Sudden Death.

Mrs. Reid, the mother of C. F. Reid, depot agent at Forestville, and mother-in-law of Capt. Wm. H. Finch, late of this city, dropped suddenly dead, yesterday at 12 o'clock, at her home in Forestville in this county. She was a very aged lady, and heart disease is supposed to have caused her death.

The Methodist Dime Party. The dime party given Friday night by the ladies of the Edenton Street M. E. Church, was a pleasing success. It was quite largely attended and prices being limited to a dime for each thing called for, those who attended were liberal in their purchases. The evening was very much enjoyed and the receipts were quite gratifying.

## Yesterday and Yesterday's Weather.

The delightful weather which has prevailed for several days past, came to an ignominious termination yesterday in a conglomeration of rain, sleet, snow, wind, mud and the whole catalogue of disagreeable things. New Englanders would scarcely expect such a blast in January. Only those whose business called them on the streets, knew how terrific it was. An umbrella was a ghastly joke upon the man who first made one, and an overcoat was a hollow mockery, so far as keeping out wind and rain was concerned. All signs of commerce and nearly all evidences of life disappeared from the streets. The business community, which usually characterizes Wilmington street Saturday evenings, did not occur; the Saturday evening surroundings of the market house were lacking, and the only every-day sight was an occasional police officer waiting a limber inebriate to the lock-up. The elements shifted every now and then, and sleet succeeded rain and snow sleet, one or two or three of these harmonizing occasionally and all falling together. But for not a moment was there a cessation of the whole. It was a terrible day as the red noses of those without told plainly to those who stood within and watched the passers-by. Except early in the morning not a lady appeared on the streets the live-long day, and this added to the sense of dreariness.

Yes, yes, it was the worst time we all have had since the great December snow. The little violets looked strangely out of place, with the snow almost as high as their heads and it was strange to see the more stately hyacinths with their beautiful petals unfolded to the sky on a day when a half-Christianized man would not have driven a dog from his door.

## An Incident in the Life of Hon. B. F. Moore.

A venerable and cultivated gentleman has been giving to the Wilson Advertiser some reminiscences of the olden time, and among these is found the following, which is of local and general interest, applying to the "father of the bar" of Raleigh and that of the State as well: "When the Hon. B. F. Moore was a much younger man than now, on the occasion of the memorable visit of Mr. Clay to North Carolina, he was selected to deliver the welcoming address. The occasion requiring it, Mr. Moore put himself to extra effort to prepare a speech worthy the man he was going to welcome. Having written it out in full, he called on Capt. Simmons, saying to him, 'Write this speech for me, and read it to him.' Well, said Simmons, ironically, 'I suppose you wish me to criticize and correct, being an educated and scholarly gentleman?' 'Not that,' said Mr. Moore, 'but to see how it will strike the vulgar mind.'"

## Fertilizers for North Carolina.

The following is from the Norfolk Virginian of yesterday: "The Legislature of North Carolina having passed a law imposing a license of \$500 a year upon non-resident manufacturers of fertilizers or their agents; also a tax of fifty cents a ton on all fertilizers manufactured elsewhere and sold in that State, the Baltimore manufacturers and dealers in fertilizers held a meeting on Tuesday for discussion of the matter. It was proposed to advance the price of fertilizers \$1 a ton to North Carolina purchasers, and thus meet the license and the tax per ton. The shipment of fertilizers from Baltimore to the South is large during February and March. North Carolina pays a million dollars a year for fertilizers from Baltimore."

In our necessarily imperfect report, yesterday morning, of the fire which took place as we were on the eve of going to press, no mention was made of the highly commendable conduct of Messrs. Jas. Mullins and Wm. Russ, who periled their lives in their efforts to suppress the flames. Mr. Russ was the first person to reach the scene and he, with Mr. John Weir and Mr. Mullins were seen on top of the house and by their almost superhuman efforts kept the flames under control until the fire company could get a stream on them. Their conduct is worthy of all commendation.

The State Fair. We understand that, notwithstanding the failure in the House of the bill proposing to borrow \$14,000 from the State for the use of the State Agricultural Society, the Executive Committee has already gone to work and will leave no stone unturned to make the next State Fair a more successful success than any of its predecessors has been. In this laudable work we hope the committee will have the earnest assistance of every public-spirited citizen throughout the State for this is the State and not a Raleigh Fair.

George T. Stronach & Co. are receiving daily fresh supplies of all kinds of goods, and they sell cheaper than any other parties on the market. They also sell Bradley's celebrated Gunpowder for 400 pounds of cotton, first picking.

Be it known, that I have opened a family grocery at my old stand, on Fayetteville street, where I will be happy to serve any and everybody with first-class goods. I keep a full assortment of all kinds of best quality family groceries and table delicacies. M. Grauman.

## About Two Pigs.

Yesterday morning policeman Waters, who lives on Bloodworth street, near Oakwood Cemetery, started down to police headquarters about dawn, and on the way, near the city limits, discovered two darkies lying asleep in a strip of wood, the head of each pilloved on a sack. The sight was an unusual one, and the officer aroused the sleepers and found that each sack contained a pig. The darkies endeavored to explain their respective titles to the respective pigs, but the more they explained the more evident it became that the pigs had been spirited away without the consent of the owner. The suspect was accordingly brought on to the lock-up, with their burdens, and there lodged, to remain until something is developed. They say they live on Crabtree creek. It is almost certain that they stole the pigs, but from whom has not yet transpired.

## Movements of Cotton in Raleigh.

Receipts for the week ending March 16th, 1877, 291 bales; receipts for same week last year, 512 bales; decrease in receipts this year, 221 bales. Whole receipts from 1st September to date, 38,959 bales; whole receipts same time last year, 32,070 bales; increase in receipts to date, 6,889 bales.

The market has been depressed during the whole of the week, and prices have again given away; the market closes at 10½ for middlings. It will be seen that receipts here, as in the United States generally, have fallen off materially. We can see no good reason for the continued decline in cotton except that a powerful combination is "squeezing" the "shorts," and when satisfied, the same combination will no doubt be on the other side ready to advance it as much as they have depressed it, or more.

## The Gunno License.

The first license tax of \$500, imposed by the act to establish a department of agriculture, immigration and statistics, and for the encouragement of sheep husbandry, upon each foreign company or person selling commercial fertilizers in this State, was paid yesterday at the State treasury by John R. Long & Co., of Baltimore, proprietors of the Excellenza Cotton Fertilizer. The act is not retrospective, but applies only to fertilizers which may be sold in this State after its ratification, which was the 12th of March.

On Monday night a kerosene lamp exploded in the residence of Mrs. Catherine Bogart, of Sussex street, Hackinsack. Mrs. Ursula Terhune, aged 73 and Mrs. Eleanor Kent, who were visiting Mrs. Bogart, attempted to extinguish the flames, when their clothing caught fire. They ran around bewildered, and before assistance arrived both were frightfully burned. Mrs. Terhune died within a few hours, but Mrs. Kent lived until yesterday morning, when she died. —Durham (N. C.) Herald.

Pratt's Astral Oil will not explode; burns in any lamp; is free from smoke and smoke. Beware of worthless and frequently dangerous imitations. Julius Lewis & Co., sole agents, Raleigh, N. C.

## BUSINESS NOTICES.

Seasonable goods at Lumsden's. Fishing tackle, flower pots, hanging-baskets, hoes, rakes, shovels, spades, watering pots, &c. Don't forget those marbled coffee and tea pots, dippers, &c., and a lot of nice things, at Lumsden's.

Send your orders to J. C. Brewster, Nos. 4 and 6 Hargett street, for stoves, tinware, hardware and house-furnishing goods, the most complete stock in the city, at the lowest rates. A full supply of paints, oils, varnish, paint brushes, &c. Window glass and putty sold cheaper than elsewhere. Horse shoes, iron and nails a specialty. A liberal discount offered to the trade in all goods in his line. Send for price lists. Job work of all kinds, tin, sheet iron, zinc, copper and brass, done cheap and warranted.

You can buy a pair of ladies' gaiters for one dollar. You can buy a pair of ladies' goat boots for one dollar. You can buy the best quality school shoes. You can get a pair of ladies' foxed gaiters for \$1.25 at Heller Bros.' regular shoe store, No. 31, Fayetteville street.

Glove-kid, long laced and button boots are comfortable for tender feet.

Virginia penitentiary sewed brogues, Gents' hand sewed box-toes, and plain boots and gaiters, Buckle Alexia and broad bottom and low heel (common sense) shoes at reduced prices at Heller Bros.' shoe store.

It times are hard it is the time to economize. A dollar saved is a dollar made. You can save money by buying your shoes at Heller Bros., who have reduced the prices on their entire stock in order to make room for their spring supply, large orders for which are now in hands of manufacturers of the best quality boots and shoes.

40,000 Dozen Sold Last Year. Now is the time of year for Pneumonia, Lung Fever, &c. Every family should have a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. Don't allow for one moment that cough to take hold of your child, your family or yourself. Consumption, Asthma, Pneumonia, Croup, Hemorrhages, and other fatal diseases may set in. If you are consumptive, do not rest until you have tried this remedy. Sample bottles 10 cents. Regular size 75 cents. Sold by all druggists in the U. S. feb 29-d-w-cow.

## Encouragement for the Feeble.

Debility, whether it be inherent, or caused by overtaxed strength, or protracted illness, has a most depressing influence upon the mind, breeding an abject melancholy nearly akin to despair, and enforcing the abandonment of all mental and physical exertion. It is proved by innumerable instances that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is an unfailing strengthener of the weak, and that in addition to vitalizing the physical organization, it establishes regularity among those organs upon whose efficient discharge the duties of life are imposed. It gives energy and vigor to the system, and health depends. Thousands of instances might be cited to show the regenerating influence of this health-giving agent in cases of indigestion, dyspepsia, nervous debility, liver disease, constipation, nervous ailments, constipation, intermittent fever, urinary and uterine troubles, gout and rheumatism, and other maladies.

## DISOLUTION.

The co-partnership of A. L. Parker & Co., composed of A. L. Parker and John A. Waddell, doing business near Wilson's Mills, in Johnston county, as manufacturers of rough lumber, was dissolved by the death of A. L. Parker on the 15th day of January, 1877.

A. L. Parker is authorized to settle the business of the late firm, and receipt for all claims against it, and will pay all debts against it.

A. L. Parker will continue the lumber business at the same place, and John A. Waddell will also continue the lumber business at Selma.

Orders addressed to either of them will be thankfully received and promptly filled.

## RAILROADS.

RICHMOND & DANVILLE RAILROAD.

Richmond & Danville, Richmond & Danville R. W. N. C. Division, North Western N. C. R. W.

CONDENSED TIME-TABLE. In effect on and after SUNDAY, March 18th, 1877.

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS. MAIL. Leave Charlotte 6:10 A. M. " Salisbury 7:05 " " Greensboro 7:50 " " Danville 8:30 " " Burlington 9:15 " " Raleigh 10:00 " " Arrive at Richmond 10:30 "

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS. MAIL. Leave Richmond 7:30 A. M. " Burville 8:25 " " Danville 9:10 " " Greensboro 10:00 " " Salisbury 10:45 " " Arrive at Charlotte 11:30 "

GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

STATIONS. MAIL. STATIONS. MAIL. L'Ve Greensboro 10:05 A. M. " L'Ve 5:00 P. M. " Co. Shops 12:25 " " L'Ve 3:55 " " Goldsboro 1:15 " " L'Ve 5:15 " " Arr. Goldsboro 1:30 " " L'Ve 5:35 "

NORTH WESTERN N. C. R. W. (SALM BRANCH.)

Leave Greensboro 7:20 A. M. Arrive at Salem 7:27 A. M. Leave Salem 7:50 A. M. Arrive at Greensboro 8:25 " " Passenger trains leaving Raleigh at 12:25 P. M., connect at Greensboro with the Southern bound train, making the quickest time to all Southern cities.

No change of Cars between Charlotte and Richmond, 222 miles.

For further information address J. W. R. MAUDUDD, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Richmond, Va.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

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# DAILY NEWS.

SUNDAY, MARCH 18, 1877.

THE WEEKLY NEWS is the best weekly paper published in North Carolina. It is only ONE DOLLAR per year, postage paid, contains 52 columns of plain printed news from every corner of the country, and important advertisements. Always Cash.

THE Editor of the NEWS is not responsible for the views and opinions expressed by correspondents.  
 Correspondents are requested to be as brief as the nature of the subject upon which they write will admit.  
 The names of correspondents are required in every instance for the private information of the editor, as a guarantee of good faith.  
 Anonymous communications will invariably be assigned to the waste basket, without notice.  
 Correspondents are requested to write only on one side of the sheet; otherwise great inconvenience is caused to the printer.

## Song of the Heart.

PIERCE CART.

They may tell forever of words of bloom,  
 Beyond the skies and beyond the tomb—  
 Of the sweet repose and the rapture there,  
 That are not found in the world of care;  
 But not to me can the present seem  
 Like a foolish tale or an idle dream.  
 Oh, I know that the flowers of Heaven are fair,  
 And I know that the waters of Life are there;  
 But I do not long for the happy flow,  
 While there is a fountain of bliss below.  
 And would not leave, for the rest above,  
 The faithful bosom of trusting love!  
 There are angels here; they are seen by the while  
 In each love-lit brow and each gentle smile;  
 There are seraph voices that meet the ear,  
 In the kindly tone and the word of cheer  
 And light, such light as they have above,  
 Beams on here from the eyes of love!  
 Yet, when it cometh my time to die,  
 I would turn from this bright world willingly;  
 Though, even then, would the thought of the bliss  
 I never dream of that land of bliss;  
 And I faint would lean on the loved for aid,  
 Not walk alone through the vale and shade.  
 And if 'tis mine, till Life's changes end,  
 To guard the heart of one faithful friend  
 Whate'er the trials of earth may be,  
 On the peaceful shore or the restless sea—  
 In a palace home or the wilderness,  
 There is heaven for me in a world like this.

## Digest of the Acts and Resolutions Passed by the General Assembly at its Session of 1876-77.

[Reported expressly for the News.]

An Act to authorize the county Commissioners of Lenoir county to levy a special tax and for other purposes. (May levy a tax of eight and one-third cents on the one hundred dollars of property for 1877 and 1878, for the support of the poor and other county purposes, and a pro rata poll tax for the same purpose.) Ratified the 1st day of March, 1877.

An Act to change the line between Wilkes and Ashe counties. Ratified the 1st day of March, 1877.

An Act to establish courts inferior to the Supreme Court, to be styled Inferior Courts. (The full text of this Act has been published in the News.) Ratified the 3d day of March, 1877.

An Act to prevent live stock from running at large within the counties of Rowan and Cabarrus and a portion of the county of Iredell. (The "no fence law," similar in its provisions to the Act on the subject for Mecklenburg.) Ratified the 3d day of March, 1877.

An Act to levy a special tax in the county of Cabarrus and for other purposes. (The Commissioners may levy a special tax in such installments as they may deem proper, not to exceed \$30,000, to pay off the debt of the county incurred for building jail and court house. The Act also confirms the sales of lots of the old jail and court house.) Ratified the 3d day of March, 1877.

An Act in relation to the probate of deeds and conveyances and the privy examination of married women. (The full text of the bill has been published.) Ratified the 3d day of March, 1877.

An Act to provide for the publication and sale of the Supreme Court Reports, amendatory to section 10, chapter 103, of Battle's Revision. (Gives the Attorney-General \$750 for reporting the decisions of each term of the Supreme Court, when he shall have had printed the number reserved for the State. He may have as many more copies printed as he and the Secretary of State may deem sufficient to supply the demand for them, not less than 600, which the Secretary of State shall sell at \$3 per copy, the proceeds to be paid into the treasury of the State.) Ratified the 3d day of March, 1877.

An Act to authorize Rutherford county and other municipal corporations to subscribe to railroad stock. (Authorizes the county of Rutherford or any other county, or incorporated town or city, under certain restrictions, to subscribe to the capital stock of a railroad running from Shelby to Rutherford, or to the capital stock of the Rutherford and Spartanburg Railroad Company, and such county or municipal corporation may levy tax or issue bonds to pay such subscription; provided that in every case the question is first submitted to the voters of the county or corporation and approved by them.) Ratified the 3d day of March, 1877.

An Act to incorporate the Board of Trustees of the Lillington Academy, in the county of Pender. (Private act of incorporation, with the addition of forbidding the sale of spirituous liquors within two miles of said Academy.) Ratified the 3d day of March, 1877.

An Act to change a portion of the dividing line between Hertford and Bertie counties. (A local Act of no general interest.) Ratified the 3d day of March, 1877.

An Act to amend section 12, of chapter 105 of Battle's Revision. (Makes all salaries allowed by the chapter payable quarterly, except such as are allowed to clerks, which shall be paid monthly. To take effect on the 1st day of April, 1877.) Ratified the 3d day of March, 1877.

An Act to change the county line between the counties of Watauga, Wilkes and Ashe. (Local Act of no general interest.) Ratified the 3d day of March, 1877.

An Act to incorporate the town of Sparta, in Edgecombe county. (Usual Act of incorporation.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to incorporate the Charlotte Warehouse and Compress Company. (Incorporates the Company for ninety-nine years, and authorizes it to carry on the business of storing and compressing cotton, &c., with a capital of \$40,000.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act regulating the mode of making entries of vacant lands in the county of Bladen. (Intention of making entry shall be advertised at the nearest post-office, and two other public places in the township, by the entry-taker, ten days before issuing his warrant for a survey of the land proposed to be entered; penalty of \$200 for failure to advertise as required by this Act.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to amend section 361 of the Code of Civil Procedure. (An action against a corporation, &c., may be brought in the Superior Court of any county in which the cause of action arose or in which it usually did business, or in which it has property; amended by adding, "or in which the plaintiff or any one of them resides.") Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to charter the Piedmont-Norfolk Gauge Railroad Company. (Incorporates a company with a capital of \$125,000, to run a narrow gauge railroad from Reidsville to some point on the Virginia line, by way of Leaksville; may commence operations by electing officers, &c., when the sum of \$10,000 shall have been subscribed. The company has the ordinary rights of similar corporations.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to incorporate the Trustees of the Wentworth Male Academy, in the county of Rockingham. (Usual act of incorporation. Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.)

An Act to repeal so much of an Act entitled An Act providing for additional terms of the Superior Courts of Northampton and Halifax counties, as applies to the county of Halifax. (Repeals the provision for an additional term of the Superior Courts for the county of Halifax.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to provide for the comfort of jurors in certain cases. (Jurors to be provided accommodations when they cannot agree and are placed by the court in charge of officers.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to appoint a special commission for the county of New Hanover. (Fred. D. Poisson, Hon. R. S. French, and Eugene S. Martin, are appointed a special commission to investigate the books and accounts of all the county officers of New Hanover, also the dockets of all the Magistrates of the county, to ascertain what moneys have been collected by way of fines, forfeitures, &c., and the commission may send for persons and papers and administer oaths.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to remove obstructions from, and to provide for the passage of fish in the Catawba river. (Forbids any obstructions to the passage of fish in the Catawba, the Yadkin or the Pee Dee; in the first to point near Old Fort, and in the latter to Patterson's Factory in Caldwell county, unless such obstruction shall leave a free passage of fish at least 30 feet wide. The penalty, \$15 per day for every day the obstructions remain. No person shall take fish from these streams in spawning season except with hook and line.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to amend section 3, chapter 241, Public Laws of 1874-75. (Provides that sections 10, 12 and 26 of chapter 185, imposing certain taxes, shall not apply to persons doing business on the fair grounds at the annual exhibitions of the society.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to incorporate the town of Littleton, in the counties of Halifax and Warren. (Usual Act of incorporation.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to allow the citizens of Watauga and Caldwell counties to pass through the toll gates on the Caldwell and Watauga turnpike free of toll. (The caption explains the Act.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act for the better government of the town of Thomasville. (Enlarges the powers of the officers of the town, giving the Mayor the authority of the Justice of the Peace, to enforce penalties, &c.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

An Act to incorporate the town of Cornudas, in Greene county. (Ordinary act of incorporation.) Ratified the 5th day of March, 1877.

## Succession to the Crown of England.

[Full Mail Gazette.]

The official denial of the rumor that the ex-Queen of Hanover and her children have joined the Church of Rome was hardly needed, perhaps. But had the rumor been true, the Crown Prince Ernest and the Princesses his sisters would, of course, have forfeited their rights of eventual succession to the crown of England under the act of settlement; but as his royal highness is but thirty-fifth in the line of succession, this consideration would hardly have been a practical one. As the royal family of Great Britain stands at the present moment the first eleven Princes and Princesses in the succession to the throne are British subjects. In the happily more than remote contingency of the failure of these heirs—namely, of the Prince of Wales and his children, of the Duke of Edinburgh and his children, of the Duke of Cornwall, and of Prince Leopold, the next heir would be the Princess Imperial of Germany; Prince William of Prussia, her Highness's son, recently married with the daughter of the Emperor of Austria, in the succession. After the Prince would come his six brothers and sisters. Failing these, the Princess Louise of Hesse inherits the claim, being twenty-eighth in the line of the succession. Her royal highness is the mother of six children. Consequently her next sister, the Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein, is twenty-seventh in the order of succession. Next come the Princess Christian's four children; next the Princess Louise, Marchioness of Lorne; and last of her present majesty's issue, the Princess Beatrice, (thirty-third). Following these comes King George of Hanover, (thirty-fourth), the Crown Prince Ernest, and the Princesses Frederica and Mary. The Duke of Cambridge is thirty-eighth in the order of succession.

## France and Germany.

The alarm of Germany over the possibility of French designs on Alsace and Lorraine, provinces wrested from France by the Franco-Prussian war, is manifest in the order for all Frenchmen who fought in the French army to leave that section. A deputy from Metz, in the Reichstag, made the assertion yesterday that since the German occupation everything had depreciated in the two provinces, and the suggestion was made that autonomy would be agreeable to the people. France has shown a good deal of fortitude in her treatment of the work of fortifying her new frontier line at Arras, Bessancon and Verdun, while Germany is vigorously fortifying Strasbourg, Metz, Bayern and other frontier points. The work on the French fortifications is said to have been suspended to oblige Germany and furnish no pretext for a German declaration of war, but Bismarck, who is remarkably sensitive on the Alsace-Lorraine subject, may possibly keep up his nagging until it amounts to a degree of insouciance which France will not stand, and the old fight may be renewed. France has no notion, at present, of fighting any body. She is, in fact, making great preparations for the Industrial Exhibition of 1878, and it is to be hoped that Bismarck will rein in his dogs of war for a few years at least.

## The South and President Hayes.

[From the New York World, March 15.]

The Southern Senators—by which of course we mean the Southern Democratic Senators, who alone really represent the Southern States at Washington—very wisely determined in an informal caucus held last night to abstain entirely from assuming any responsibility for the policy of President Hayes and his Cabinet. The news of this determination will infuse new strength and spirit into the party of law, peace and order throughout the country. It is the firm and well-founded belief of every candid man in all parts of the United States that President Hayes holds his office only through a deliberate falsification of the actual results of the election of November, 1876. This is the belief also of all impartial observers throughout the world. The sentiment of civilized mankind was not more unanimous in regard to the character of the step which Louis Napoleon, in December, 1851, mounted to absolute power in France than it is to-day in regard to the character of the proceedings which resulted in the inauguration of President Hayes. That President Hayes himself and the advisers he has called about him not only know this, but are in their own minds convinced of it, has no just and adequate title to the Chief Magistracy, is clearly shown by the attitude which the new President has assumed in regard to the great issues upon which the election was made. One of the new Cabinet, indeed, Secretary Key, is upon record as having plainly declared his belief that the Democratic candidate was fairly and truly elected in November, 1876; and it would be offering a gratuitous insult to the intelligence of a man like Mr. Evans to suppose that he has the slightest doubt as to the true nature of the victory won by himself and his associates before the Electoral Commission over the facts of the case and the will of the American people. President Hayes plainly understands that upon the issues on which he was nominated in 1876, and on which the caucus for his election was made by men like Morton, Sherman, Chandler, Cameron and Blaine, the Republican party was fairly beaten. He knows that the majority of the voters of the Union belong to the Democratic party. He knows that the public sentiment of the country will no longer support any Executive at Washington in that lawless interference with the rights of local self-government at the South by which alone the fall of the Republican dynasty has been checked, and that the President of the Grant administration first developed itself and made itself generally understood. He has therefore made haste to propitiate the ruling sentiment of the country by proclaiming his intention of abstaining from violent and revolutionary practices which, were he never so much disposed to them he could not safely attempt to carry out. In order to keep him faithful to these promises nothing more is needed than to maintain firmly and in unbroken order before him the Conservative front of power by which he has been coerced into making these promises. The men who fought for his election and were beaten at the polls have no such opportunity as his office gives to him of kicking down the ladder on which they rose, and on which they stand aloft, but to the contrary, to-day Republican Senators and Representatives cannot expect to retain their seats in Congress as President Hayes obtained the keys of the White House, by the favor of the Returning Boards in Louisiana or South Carolina or of an Electoral Commission at Washington. They have no hold on anything but the Radical sentiment of their respective States and districts, and if they cannot bend the President to support them they must break him or be broken by him.

What have the representatives of conservatism and of the constitution at the North or at the South to do with this duel between the defeated leaders of a defeated party and a President who would gladly give his doubtful title confirmed by a general popular condonation of the means through which it was acquired, and who would rather see his defeated supporters go down without him than engulf him, with his administration, in their own ruin? Certainly the reputation of the United States has nothing to gain from such a condonation of glaring and notorious fraud. Certainly the interests of peace and order have nothing to gain from a disintegration of the gravity which has alone the present triumph of peace and order is due, and which holds to-day in its hands, if it will but be true to itself, the power to maintain peace and order everywhere, at the North and at the South, against all intrigues and all opposition.

We can well understand how natural it is that Southern men should be more deeply concerned about the maintenance of local self-government in the Southern States than about any other and superficially wider issues. We should not quarrel with them for this, even if we held, as we do, that local self-government at the South is a matter more interesting to them than it is to us. We regard it as absolutely vital to the preservation of our national institutions, and we are with them thoroughly and earnestly on this point, as we have been with them on this point for years past while they were powerless to contend for it, and their battle had to be fought throughout the West and the North against overwhelming odds of patronage and prejudice and popular passion. But the victory has been won. The fact that President Hayes has been inaugurated, that the success of a scandalous intrigue must not be allowed to blind the eye of the friends of Conservatism and Democracy to the much greater fact that Mr. Tilden was lawfully elected by the people at the polls. That we have been defrauded of a Democratic President is a thing which may naturally move Democrats to indignation; but the President of the United States is not the government of the United States; and there is nothing whatever to excuse the Democrats, who went into this contest with wide national objects in view, for forgetting that the people of the whole country have endorsed the position of the Democratic party by a decisive majority, and that the Democratic members in the two Houses of Congress have to-day the power in their hands to enforce respect for the constitution and the laws throughout all parts of the Union upon all the servants, high and low, of the American people. This is a sacred trust, and it cannot be trifled with, on any pretext whatever, without imperiling all that we have already won for American Law, and all that we hope to win for American Liberty.

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# DAILY NEWS.

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## STATE NEWS.

Seven young men left Catawba last week going to Indiana.

Three negroes escaped from Gaston county jail last Wednesday night.

It is believed that there is a regular organized band of thieves in the upper portion of Greene county.

The clothes of Ella Chestnut, of Cranston, took five while she was cooking, and she was badly burned.

The *Nut Shell* learns that the ladies of Newbern propose presenting the Elm City Rifleman with a flag.

The Charlotte Democrat condemns the Legislature for electing negro and Republican magistrates.

The personal effects of the late Judge Anderson Mitchell, except his law library, were disposed of at auction in Statesville last Wednesday.

Woodlawn, Ga: In county, bats its eyes and snatches placidly and delightfully over the establishment of a jug factory within its borders.

The *Piedmont Press* says that Mr. Wm. Blaylock, of Cool Springs township, Iredell county, recently killed six large wild turkeys at one shot.

The residence of T. P. Davidson, Esq., of Asheville, narrowly escaped destruction by fire last Friday night. A spark fell on the roof.

Quoth Dossey Battle, in the *Southerner*: "Now is the time when the gobler gobbleth, and the Tarboro young man hangeth over the front gate of his favorite calico."

A distillery belonging to Mr. C. W. McClammy, near Wilmington, was burned Thursday night, and with it a quantity of rum, and a quantity of turpentine, &c. Loss considerable.

The *Wilson Advance* learns that a little son of Mr. Cullen Lewis, living near Entfield, fell into the fire last Friday and was very severely burned, from the effects of which he died in a few hours.

The *Observer* says that plaid from the Pee Dee cotton mills of Rockingham, Richmond county, are now being shipped to the Charlotte market in considerable quantities and find a ready sale.

A little son of Capt. Fred. Phillips, of Tarboro, was amusing himself lately in the orthodox boyish fashion of sliding down the banister, when he fell, when he fell a distance of fourteen feet to the floor and sustained a slight concussion of the brain.

The *Observer* says that for the year ending September 1st, 1876, forty-two thousand bales of cotton were sold on the Charlotte market, as against thirty-two thousand in the year to the 1st of next September. The sales it is estimated, will be not less than sixty thousand.

We have all been there and can appreciate the feelings of the *Wilson Advance* man when he goes off after this style: A lovely daughter of his own—a real bright, sparkling ripple in humanity's ocean—left our town on Friday last, and some of us have indeed been made to feel the desolation of existence. Schah.

**Wilson Advance:** A terrible homicide occurred near Battleboro, on Saturday night. It seems that two negroes, Ned Taylor and Bill Bryan, got into an altercation, when the latter stabbed the former, from the effects of which he died the following morning. Bryan has been arrested and lodged in Tarboro jail. Both were drunk, and it is the impression that liquor was the only cause of the dispute.

Chambers, of the Charlotte *Observer*, feels and realizes that revenge is sweet. During Mecklenburg court Judge Clout had him locked up at the residence of Mrs. Anthony Dowlin, at present unoccupied. In the morning, when the sun shines, may be distinctly seen reflected on a window pane the bust of a man. In the evening, the picture changes to that of a handsome woman. Several reliable gentlemen tell us they have seen the faces. On Sunday last over one hundred people witnessed the phenomenon. It has caused a great alarm and excitement among the colored people.

Wilmington Star, of Friday: Yesterday afternoon, a few minutes before 7 o'clock, a colored man, whose name we could not ascertain, met with a horrible accident on the railroad just above Boney's Bridge, by which he lost his life. It appears that the deceased jumped from a train and alighted on the track just as a connecting engine was approaching, which struck him before he could get out of the way, knocking him prostrate and running over him, by which his head was almost entirely severed from his body, the only connecting link left being a portion of the skin, while both arms were broken, one of them in two places, and, of course, causing instant death.

Newbern Nut Shell: A few days since Rev. E. M. Forbes had a number of workmen employed digging a well on his premises, when a solid mass of brick masonry was discovered under the earth. The masonry was first reached about six feet from the surface of the earth and was some ten feet in depth. Its breadth and length have not yet been ascertained, although a large space has been uncovered. This rather singular discovery has its parallel in more than one instance: A short time since Mr. N. S. Richardson was digging a deep trench on his premises and when about five or six feet beneath the surface of the ground, he came to a solid foundation of brick.

The Asheville *Citizen* says: We learn of a fatal affair occurring in Henderson county on Friday last, resulting in the death of two brothers named Corn. It appears that Deputy Sheriff Byers, armed with an order to dispossess from the court, and accompanied by a posse of three men, visited the residence of one of Jesse B. Corns, living about five miles from Hendersonville. They entered the house, a log building, the Corns being absent from it at the moment. But in a few minutes old man Corn, having been apprised of the situation, accompanied by his sons came up to the house, and the old man fired one shot with a shot gun into the house, without, however, doing any damage. The officers inside then closed the doors and fired through the cracks at the party outside, two of the shots fired by young

John Arledge, (as it appears,) one of the Sheriff's posse, taking effect on the persons of two of the young Corns and killing them both. Subsequently old man Corn, the Deputy Sheriff and John Arledge were arrested and had an examination before Squire Mark Patton, but of the result of this trial we have not been apprised.

## By Telegraph.

### WASHINGTON.

**Nomination of Fred. Douglass Favorable Reported on—An Unfortunate Cousin—Cautionary Signs—The New Congress—Closing out at the Extra Session—The Columbia, S. C., Postmaster.**

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The opposition to Fred Douglass is strong, mainly because he lacks legal knowledge and personal acquaintance with the condition of property in the District. The Senate committee on the District, however, reported favorably on the nomination.

The New York Tribune's Washington dispatch says that among the unsuccessful candidates for the United States Marshalship for the northern district of Illinois was a Mr. Stillwell, of Livingston county. The President told him that his papers were unexceptionable but there was one insuperable objection to his appointment to any federal office; that was his wife was a favorite cousin of Mr. Hayes.

Cautionary signals continue at Indianapolis, Calveston, Cape Lookout, Wilmington, Cape Hatteras, Kittyhawk, Cape Henry, Norfolk, Baltimore, Cape May, Atlantic City, Barnegat, Sandy Hook, New York, New Haven, New London, Newport, Woodhole, Boston, Thatcher's Island, Eastport, and are ordered for New Orleans, Mobile, St. Marks, Jacksonville, Charleston and Savannah.

Allowing the Republicans all they claim in Louisiana, Florida, South Carolina and elsewhere the forty-fifth Congress will stand, Democrats 149; Republicans 144.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Conant is under question. The charges are indefinite. Secretary Sherman thought yesterday there was nothing in them.

The President sent two minor nominations to the Senate to-day which were omitted yesterday by a clerical blunder. These close out the extra session of the Senate.

Secretary Sherman is authority for saying that there is no foundation whatever for the insinuation of questionable practices affecting the honesty of Assistant Secretary Conant.

The Senate, after discussion, agreed, by a vote of 39 to 8, to send a special committee to Oregon to investigate the charges against Senator Grover.

Confirmations—Chas. M. Wilder, postmaster at Columbia, S. C. 2 p. m.—The Senate is still in session.

**Miscellaneous Telegrams.**

WORTHINGTON, IND., March 17.—An exploding saw mill boiler killed 3 persons.

HAGERSTOWN, IND., March 17.—Beck & Stonebraker, pork packers, have failed for \$125,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—The Lackawanna has been ordered to Marquette to investigate the detention of American vessels by the custom authorities.

NEW YORK, March 17.—The World Mutual Life Insurance Company has received orders to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed.

**Assurances Against Disorder.**

NEW ORLEANS, March 17.—Officers of banks, insurance companies and trade boards telegraph Hayes assurances that disorders will not follow the withdrawal of troops.

## NIGHT DISPATCHES.

### FOREIGN.

**Chas. Cowden Clarke Dead—Von Arnim Reported Dying—An Odious Comparison—The London Times Pleased With the Progress of the Negotiations.**

LONDON, March 17.—Charles Cowden Clarke, lecturer and author, is dead. Count Von Arnim is reported dying at Nice.

The Times, in a leading article, contrasts the long preparation which preceded the Androsky notes and the Berlin memorandum with the celerity of the present negotiation. It says conciliation and promptitude have been the characteristics of all parties, and, having resolved to agree, their compliance is wonderful. The protocol was only communicated to Lord Derby on Sunday and on Friday we are congratulated as an accomplished work. This shows that whatever the Russian government may propose to accomplish, association with the European powers is looked upon as important, either for external political action or to allay irritation and discontent at home. The assurance of the Russians make us believe the latter is the object, and that the Czar, having determined to relinquish his enterprises, desires merely such conditions as will not too much trouble his people. If this be the motive, the signature of the protocol will be a decisive event, unless, indeed, new disorders in Turkey throw all again into confusion.

## "WE'RE GOING HOME."

**Nichols' Friends Being Satisfied That the Troops Will Be Withdrawn, Have Started for Home.**

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The following remained unconfirmed: Hughes, Attorney for Middle Tennessee; Waldron, marshal for West Tennessee; Roseman, postmaster at Charleston, S. C.; Potts, postmaster at Petersburg, Va.

The Senate, after the usual formalities, adjourned sine die.

The Star says nearly all the Louisiana politicians who have been in the city for weeks in the interest of the Nichols government, leave for New Orleans to-night. They say they have assurances that the order for the withdrawal of the army from South Carolina and Louisiana will be proposed at the cabinet meeting on Tuesday next, and the army will withdraw to the military reservation on Wednesday.

**A Fast Schedule South.**

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The time between New York and New Orleans, via Atlanta, Knoxville and Lynchburg, will be made, commencing to-morrow, in 64 hours and 35 minutes.

**Weather Probabilities.**

WASHINGTON, March 17.—For the South Atlantic States, clearing weather with cold north to west winds and rising barometer.

## WASHINGTON.

**Transfer of an Officer—The Confederation—How Certain Senators Talked and Voted on the Confirmation of Fred Douglass.**

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Capt. Wm. Prince has been ordered to the department of the Gulf as Chief of Ordnance. A debate on an hour of the day preceded the confirmation of Fred Douglass as Marshal of the District. Senators Conkling and Morgan in favor, and Senator Whyte against it. Hill, Beck, Fairland and Morgan voted for the confirmation. Lamar was absent.

Additional confirmations: Costello, Collector of Customs at Natchez; Goss at St. Augustine.

The records do not show the disposition made of Stone, who was nominated for Marshal.

The nomination of Stone was recommended and went over on motion of Gen. Jordan. The chief point against him seems to be his incompetency.

## OHIO.

**Fatal Explosion in a Mill—A Detective Sent up for Election Frauds.**

CINCINNATI, March 17.—A boiler exploded in the saw mill of Hunter Bros., five miles east of Washington, Ind., yesterday afternoon, killing twelve persons and wounding seven—all who were in the building. The mill ground corn for buyers, and was trying a new set of corn bruisers, and the day being wet the neighbors gathered to witness the experiment.

Detective James White was to-day sentenced to the penitentiary for 18 months, for being implicated in the election frauds last October.

**St. Patrick's Day in Charleston.**

St. Patrick's day to-day included all the white military companies whose appearance in public under arms on Washington's birth day was prohibited.

When one knows a good thing it should be told; and we know from experience that Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is the best remedy for coughs and colds we ever tried. It only costs 25 cents a bottle.

## MORE INVESTIGATION WANTED.

**The Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Said to be on the Ragged Edge.**

(N. Y. Sun.)

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The new Administration is likely to have its full share of investigation before long. There is a rumor this evening that Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Conant is dangerously mixed up in the frauds recently discovered in the payment of back registered bond interest on forged letters of attorney, and by the purchase of claims outright. At the time one or two arrests were made and the business was broken up. It looked extremely difficult for such a thing to be going on without Conant's knowledge, and Sherman is reported to have information that will make an investigation necessary. Charges against Indian Commissioner John O. Smith have been laid before Carl Schurz by James Taylor, agent for the Cherokee band in North Carolina. Carl Schurz declared himself unable to attend to them at present, and deferred their consideration until the affairs of the department are more settled. The specifications relate to the purchase of supplies and to the management and disbursement of the funds belonging to the Cherokee Indians, the general charges being corruption and incompetency. Smith has so far borne a good reputation, and labored to reform the corrupt W. M. Grosvenor is to be the chief clerk of the department, but he has given out that he is anxious to get at the head of the Indian Bureau, and a reason may exist for pressing these charges against him. Smith, this appointment of Grosvenor, if made, will be taken by all St. Louis people as the highest evidence of the determination of the Administration to inaugurate real Civil Service Reform. For Grosvenor has an enviable reputation among his old acquaintances for high notions in regard to all pecuniary transactions.

## Imperished by Lawyers.

With the late James B. Taylor, of New York, died a few years since, he was supposed to be worth several million dollars, while by his will his wife inherited the property. As executrix of her husband's great estate, she at once found herself embarrassed by a multitude of unsettled claims against the property, and by a contest with her daughter, who disputed the validity of the will, she was obliged to employ a lawyer, O. B. Mattison, of Utica, who held notes amounting to \$75,000, and by a suit begun by him and other creditors in the Supreme Court, Onondaga county, Mrs. Taylor was pronounced mentally incapable of managing the estate, and a receiver was appointed. A referee was appointed to take proof and report concerning the validity of the claims against the estate. The assets found that the estate, reduced by mismanagement and legal claims, would amount to not more than \$200,000, and that this sum would be swallowed up in settling the claims of the creditors, the fees of the daughter's lawyer, her guardian and guardian's lawyer, and the cost of her suit in the courts. Creditors swarmed from every side to the plunder of the estate, and Mrs. Taylor was left penniless. She was compelled in October last to go forth from her Madison avenue mansion and seek the charity of her friends in the country. To complete her burden of misfortunes, her costly and magnificent wardrobe, which filled nine large trunks, was attached at the moment when she was leaving home, for a small debt. The wardrobe, which was valued at \$4,000, was exposed for sale on Wednesday last, and brought only \$800, not enough to pay the attachment.

## Answer to a Question that Everybody Asks.

All the little steel carts, the mule and horse carts, little wagons and big wagons, and trains carrying eight to ten cars, are loaded with either the "L & R" phosphate or the "National" soluble bone. You had better go quick or you will be too late, as the demand is increasing. Don't know nor care who sells them—find out for yourself.

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## COMMERCIAL REPORT.

### Cotton.

Reported by McMeekin & Gulick.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 17, 1877.

Middling	10 1/2
Short Low Middling	10 1/4
Good Ordinary	10 1/4
Good Ordinary	10 1/4
Low Middling	10 1/4
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### General Merchandise.

WHOLESALE CASH PRICES.

Corrected by WAINWRIGHT, WILLIAMS & HOOD.

By appointment from Board of Trade.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 17, 1877.

COTTON TIES, new, 7 1/2 cents.

BAGGING, 2 1/2 to 3 yard, 14.

CORN, 65.

WHEAT, family North Carolina, 84.75 to 85.

MEAT, Clear Rib Bulk Sides, 10.

French Pork Sides, 10.

LARD, Western, 13.

 COFFEE, Rio, 25 to 26. || SUGAR, white, 12 1/4. |  |
LEATHER, Red Seal, 25 to 26.	
WAX, 25 to 26.	
BEESWAX, 25 to 26.	
EGGS, per dozen, 10 to 12.	
OATS, 10 to 12.	
PODDER, 10 to 12.	
POTATOES, sweet, 60 cts. per bushel.	

Durham Tobacco Market.

(Corrected by H. A. Reams.)

DURHAM, N. C., March 10, 1877.

Dark, 6 to 7 1/2.

BRIGHT LUGS.

Common, 10 to 12.

Good, 12 to 14.

Extra, 14 to 16.

RED LEAF.

Common, 6 to 7 1/2.

Good, 7 to 8.

Extra, 8 to 10.

BRIGHT WRAPPERS.

Common, 12 to 14.

Good, 14 to 16.

Extra, 16 to 18.

Brights in good demand.

Henderson Tobacco Market.

Reported by J. S. Meadows & Co.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 17, 1877.

Common, dark, 8 to 10.

Good, 10 to 12.

Extra, 12 to 14.

RED LEAF.

Common, 6 to 7 1/2.

Good, 7 to 8.

Extra, 8 to 10.

BRIGHT WRAPPERS.

Common, 12 to 14.

Good, 14 to 16.

Extra, 16 to 18.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS.

NOON.

LONDON, March 17.—Noon—Consols 96 1/16.

STREET RATE 1 1/2.

LIVERPOOL, March 17.—Noon—Cotton futures strong; uplands low middling clause March and April delivery 6 1/16; April and May delivery 6 1/16; May and June delivery 6 1/16; June and July delivery 6 1/16.

1:30 p. m.—Uplands 1 m. c. April and May delivery 6 1/16; May and June delivery 6 1/16; June and July delivery 6 1/16.

2:30 p. m.—Uplands 1 m. c. April and May delivery 6 1/16; May and June delivery 6 1/16; June and July delivery 6 1/16.

1:15 p. m.—Sales of cotton include 350 bales American.

2:30 p. m.—Futures closed 1 1/2; cheaper than to-day's highest price. Uplands 1 m. c. April and May delivery 6 1/16; June and July delivery 6 1/16.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Gold opened 4 1/2.

Cotton dull; uplands 1 1/2; Orleans 1 1/2; sales 212 bales.

Futures firm; April 11.50 to 11.55; May 11.55 to 11.60; June 11.60 to 11.65; July 11.65 to 11.70.

Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat quiet and firm. Corn quiet and steady. Pork quiet and firm. Cattle quiet and steady. Hogs quiet and firm.

Stocks active—unsettled feeling. Money 2; Gold 104 1/2; Exchange—long 45 1/2; short 46 1/2; State bonds steady; Governments shade lower.

BALTIMORE, March 17.—Flour and wheat quiet and firm. Corn fairly active but easier. Southern white 50 1/2; yellow 52.

NIGHT.

BALTIMORE, March 17.—Oats dull and heavy. Rice firm. Provisions and commodities unchanged. Whiskey nominal 8 1/2. Sugar quiet at 10 1/2.

Cotton firm; middling 17 1/2; good receipts 218; sales 275; spinners 100; exports coastwise 218.

WILMINGTON, March 17.—Cotton dull and nominal; middling 14 1/2; net receipts 800; coastwise 105.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Money offered 2 1/2; Sterling 4 1/2; Gold 4 1/2; Governments dull and steady; new free 92 1/2.

Cotton dull; uplands 1 1/2; Orleans 1 1/2; sales 212, consolidated net receipts 3,551; exports to Great Britain 11,463; France 2,364; continental 916.

Futures closed strong; sales 112,000; March 11.70 to 11.75; April 11.75 to 11.80; May 11.80 to 11.85; June 11.85 to 11.90; July 11.90 to 11.95; August 11.95 to 12.00; September 12.00 to 12.05; October 12.05 to 12.10; November 12.10 to 12.15; December 12.15 to 12.20.

Flour slightly in buyers' favor; only limited demand mainly for immediate wants of local; Wheat dull and without decided change in prices on limited milling demand. Corn without decided change. Pork irregular and firmer; new mess 14.75 to 14.80; Rosin steady. Freight shade easier.

WILMINGTON, March 17.—Spirits turpentine quiet 30 1/2. Rosin steady 1.75 for strained.

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### MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power in me vested by a mortgage, executed by Law & Co., and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wake county, in book No. 44, page 63, I will, on Saturday, March 24th, 1877, at 10 o'clock a. m., and from day to day thereafter until completed, sell, at the creditor's store of said Law & Co., No. 51 Fayetteville street, Raleigh, N. C., in order to pay the debt and interest secured by said mortgage, all or a sufficient of the stock of goods, consisting of crockery, china, glassware, cutlery, plated ware, lamps and all other merchandise and appointments for carrying on the business, contained in the store and cellar located in Fayetteville street, as aforesaid. The said property sold by virtue of said mortgage, in accordance with the provisions of a power of sale in aforesaid mortgage, the said mortgage having failed to pay the interest for the months ending Nov. 22d, Dec. 22d, 1876, and Jan. 22d, 1877.

GEORGE T. P. P. Attorney in Fact. For J. & E. A. LA.

March 13, 1877-4108

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### SALE OF PROPERTY.

By virtue of the power conferred in a mortgage executed to me on the 6th day of